THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re: : Chapter 7

STUDENT FINANCE CORPORATION, : Case No. 02-11620 (KJC)

CHARLES A. STANZIALE, JR., CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE OF STUDENT FINANCE CORPORATION,

Plaintiff, : Civil No. 04-1551 (JJF)

PEPPER HAMILTON LLP, et al.,

v.

Defendants.

JOINDER OF DEFENDANTS ROBERT L. BAST, PAMELA BASHORE GAGNÉ, W. RODERICK GAGNÉ, AS TRUSTEE OF THE BRENNAN TRUSTS, AND THE BRENNAN TRUSTS IN THE MOTION OF DEFENDANTS PEPPER HAMILTON LLP AND W. RODERICK GAGNÉ, IN HIS CAPACITY AS AN ATTORNEY PRACTICING AT PEPPER HAMILTON LLP, TO STRIKE EXPERT REPORTS AND PRECLUDE TESTIMONY OF DOUGLAS M. BRANSON, NANCY J. MOORE AND STEVEN L SCHWARCZ AND ACCOMPANYING CERTIFICATION

Defendants Robert L. Bast, Pamela Bashore Gagné, W. Roderick Gagné, as

Trustee of the Brennan Trusts, and the Brennan Trusts hereby (1) join in the Motion of
defendants Pepper Hamilton LLP and W. Roderick Gagné, in his capacity as an attorney
practicing at Pepper Hamilton LLP, for an Order (a) striking the expert reports of Douglas M.
Branson, Nancy J. Moore and Steven L. Schwarcz, (b) precluding all three witnesses from
testifying at the trial of this action, and (c) granting such further and other relief as is just and

proper.; and (2) submit the attached Certification of Neil G. Epstein, Esquire, in further support of that Motion.

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